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U of M Crookston Presents Boxes & Walls Interactive Museum February 22-23

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CROOKSTON, MN (February 6, 2007) – Thursday and Friday, February 22-23, Boxes & Walls, an interactive museum, will be available in Bede Ballroom in the Student Center from noon – 4 p.m. The museum, sponsored by Service Learning, provides a perspective on various oppressed groups by creating situations where participants will experience discrimination while participating in the re-creation of an event. The title of the project represents the “boxes” we place people in based on differences and the “walls” we build against people we view as different. There will be three rooms addressing the issues of racial profiling, people with disabilities, international students and women's issues.

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